

BEFORE THE  
POSTAL REGULATORY COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

COMPETITIVE PRODUCT PRICES  
PRIORITY MAIL CONTRACT 221 (MC2016-144)  
NEGOTIATED SERVICE AGREEMENT

Docket No. CP2016-181

**NOTICE OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE OF  
AMENDMENT TO PRIORITY MAIL CONTRACT 221,  
WITH PORTIONS FILED UNDER SEAL**  
(April 27, 2017)

The Postal Service hereby provides notice that the terms of Priority Mail Contract 221, in the above-captioned proceeding, have changed as contemplated by the contract's terms. A redacted version of the amendment to Priority Mail Contract 221 is provided in Attachment A, and the unredacted amendment is being filed under seal. The amendment will become effective two business days following the day that the Commission completes its review of this filing.

This amendment will not materially affect the cost coverage of Priority Mail Contract 221. Therefore, the supporting financial documentation and financial certification initially filed in this docket remain applicable. The Postal Service hereby incorporates by reference the Application for Non-Public Treatment originally filed in this docket, for the protection of the customer-identifying information that has been filed under seal.

Respectfully submitted,

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**ATTACHMENT A**

**REDACTED AMENDMENT TO PRIORITY MAIL CONTRACT 221**

**AMENDMENT  
OF  
SHIPPING SERVICES CONTRACT  
BETWEEN  
THE UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE  
AND  
[REDACTED]  
REGARDING  
PRIORITY MAIL SERVICE**

WHEREAS, the United States Postal Service (“the Postal Service”) and [REDACTED] (“Customer”) entered into a shipping services contract regarding Priority Mail Service on May 16, 2016.

WHEREAS, the Parties desire to amend the terms in Sections I.E.2, I.F, I.G, I.H, III.C and Tables 2 through 5 of the Contract.

NOW, THEREFORE, the Parties agree that the contract is hereby amended as detailed below. The existing contract remains unchanged in all other respects. This amendment shall become effective two (2) business days following the day on which the Commission issues all necessary regulatory approval.

[Replace Section I.E.2 in its entirety and delete Table 2, as follows:]

**I. Terms**

**E.**

2. Volume Commitment. Customer should ship at least [REDACTED] Contract Packages annually.

[Replace Section I.F in its entirety, as follows:]

**I. Terms**

- F. Priority Mail Prices. The following pricing applies to Customer’s Contract Packages from the Contract’s effective date as provided in Section II.

[Delete Section I.G and Section I.H in their entirety, including Tables 3-5, and replace with new Section I.G with new Table 2, as follows:]

**I. Terms**

G. Custom Priority Mail Padded Flat Rate Envelope Table



[Replace Section III.C in its entirety, as follows:]

**III. Expiration, Termination, and Extension**

C. Extension. If, at the conclusion of this Contract term, both Parties agree that preparation of a successor SSC is active, the SSC will be extended for up to two (2) ninety (90) calendar day periods with official notification to the Commission within at least seven (7) calendar days of the Contract's expiration date. Upon both Parties agreement of the extension, the escalation clause will be implemented in Section I.H, throughout the extension period.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, the Parties hereto have caused this amendment to be duly executed as of the later date below:

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE

Signed by: B. A. Rucker

Printed Name: for Cliff Rucker

Title: Senior Vice President, Sales and Customer Relations

Date: 4/24/17

